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GROUNDBREAKING FOR REGIONAL LIBRARY IN AVONDALE

WHAT: Groundbreaking - Regional Library in Avondale

WHEN: Tuesday, Nov. 1, 2005, 9 a.m.

WHERE: Avondale Civic Center, 11465 W. Civic Center Drive (ceremony will take place just north of City Hall)

The public is invited to join representatives from the City of Avondale and the Maricopa County Library District for a groundbreaking ceremony to mark the start of construction of a new 31,000 square-foot, state-of-the-art library facility at the Avondale Civic Center. Maricopa County Supervisors Max Wilson and Mary Rose Wilcox will join Mayor Ron Drake, the Avondale City Council and guests for the 9 a.m. groundbreaking ceremony on **Tuesday**, **Nov. 1** at the Avondale Civic Center, 11465 W. Civic Center Drive.

As part of an agreement between Avondale and Maricopa County, the City will spend \$6.1 million to construct the Avondale Civic Center Regional Library, while the Maricopa County Library District will share in the operating costs of the facility for the first five years. Designed by the SmithGroup and to be constructed by Sundt Construction, the new facility will open to serve library patrons in September 2006.